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1. [REDACTED] Met briefly with Tom Smeeton, Minority staff, House International Relations Committee, and provided him with an Agency publication entitled "Cuba: The Revolution Matures" (110 0090/75). Smeeton had asked for some background information on Cuba in connection with hearings the Committee will hold shortly on the subject of re-opening trade with Cuba.

Later in the day he called to ask for an organizational chart of the Agency and the Community to assist him in briefing Representative William S. Broomfield, ranking minority member of the Committee.

2. [REDACTED] Delivered an advanced copy of the Director's speech before the Commonwealth Club of California to: Frank Slatinshek, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee; Ralph Preston, Staff Assistant, House Appropriations Committee; Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel and Staff Director, Senate Armed Services Committee; and Guy McConnell, Professional Staff Member, Senate Appropriations Committee.

3. [REDACTED] Called Sandy Gilbert, House Appropriations Committee staff, and gave her the page numbers to the 6 May 1975 transcript of the Director's testimony before the Defense Subcommittee of the Committee.

4. [REDACTED] Discussed with Bruce Wood, in the office of Representative John N. Erlenborn (R., Ill.) a suggested reply to a constituent (Dr. Robert Druyan) who raised questions as to the Agency's mail intercept program.

5. [REDACTED] Left with Al Tarabochia, Chief Investigator, Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Internal Security, a copy of the article on CIA which appeared in the May 1975 issue of Penthouse magazine.

6. [REDACTED] Left with Susan, in the office of Senator Dewey F. Bartlett (R., Okla.), their copies of the publication, Kilbriattain Newspapers Ltd. and gave her a brief rundown on the publication and its publisher. She said this would suffice and doubted that they would need anything further.

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